

REMARKS

Claim 4 has been canceled. Claims 1-3, 22, and 23 have been amended to clarify the subject matter regarded as the invention. Claims 1-3 and 5-23 are pending.

The specification has been amended in a manner that is believed to overcome the Examiner's objection to the specification.

The Examiner has indicated that claim 4 contains allowable subject matter. Claim 1 has been amended to include all of the limitations of claim 4, as well as original claim 1, from which claim 4 depended. It is therefore believed that claim 1 is allowable.

Claims 2-3 and 5-21 depend from claim 1 and are believed to be allowable for the same reasons described above.

Claim 22 recites a system configured to implement the method of claim 1 and is believed to be allowable for the same reasons described above.

Claim 23 recites a computer program product comprising computer instructions for performing the method of claim 1 and is believed to be allowable for the same reasons described above.

Reconsideration of the application and allowance of all claims are respectfully requested based on the preceding remarks. If at any time the Examiner believes that an interview would be helpful, please contact the undersigned.

Respectfully submitted,

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